



Inspection Report

SAFARIS, INC.

Customer ID: **8189**

Certificate: **73-C-0137**

Site: 001

SAFARIS, INC.

26881 E 58th ST

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

BROKEN ARROW, OK 74014

Date: Apr-09-2010

2.40 (a)

ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

2.40 (a) Each dealer or exhibitor shall have an attending veterinarian who shall provide adequate veterinary care to its animals in compliance with this section.

- The fennec fox has a thick hair mat on his back. Hair mats can lead to underlying skin infections. We recommend having a licensed veterinarian examine the animal.

Correct by: 21 April 2010

3.80 (a) (1)

PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

3.80(a) (1) Primary Enclosures - General requirements

Primary enclosures must be designed and constructed of suitable materials so that they are structurally sound for the species of nonhuman primates contained in them. They must be kept in good repair.

- The pigtailed macaque enclosure contains a perch and playhouse which have been reduced to pieces and are no longer structurally sound. These need to be removed or repaired.

Correct by: 25 April 2010

3.80 (a) (2) (iii)

PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

Sec. 3.80 Primary enclosures.

Primary enclosures must contain the nonhuman primates securely and prevent accidental opening of the enclosure, including opening by the animal.

- The door on the cinammon capuchin pen is not securely locked. The door is being held shut with a makeshift wire panel and chain. Enclosure doors must be secure.

Correct by: 25 April 2010

3.83

WATERING.

Sec. 3.83 Watering.

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Water receptacles must be kept clean and sanitized at least once every 2 weeks or as often as necessary to keep them clean and free from contamination.

- water bins in the nonhuman primate area are showing excessive contamination and discoloration. Water needs to be changed more frequently and bins cleaned as necessary. All enclosures other than the first cage were affected.
Correct by: 25 April 2010

3.84 (b) (2)

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

3.84b (2) Primary enclosures must be sanitized as often as necessary to prevent an excessive accumulation of dirt, debris, waste, or disease hazard.

- The vervet enclosure and the cinnamon capuchin pen have excessive buildup of feces, debris, and mud. Enclosures must be cleaned as often as necessary to prevent waste buildup.

Correct by: 1 May 2010

3.84 (c) **REPEAT**

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

Section 3.84(c) Housekeeping. Buildings and surrounding grounds, must be kept clean and in good repair to facilitate the husbandry practices.

- There is an accumulation of building material and other debris near the monkey house which provides potential harborage for rodents. This area should be cleaned and/or organized.

3.125 (a) **REPEAT**

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

Section 3.125(a) - Structural strength. Facilities must be constructed and maintained in such a manner as to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals covered under Subpart F.

- A section of the concrete wall comprising one of the wolf shelters is leaning and appears unstable.
- the top part of one section of fence in the 3rd wolf pen is buckled at the top and leaning. There is a gap at the corner junction.
- the top rail of the fence in the tiger enclosure (Twister's pen) is sagging and unstable. The other tiger enclosure also has a leaning fence line
- At the top of one cougar enclosure, several thick wires protrude into the enclosure.
- in the zebra pen, a corner section of fence has a loose board with exposed nails
- the bottom of the fence in the porcupine enclosure has loose wire at bottom
- the kangaroo pen has the following:
 - loose wire inside the pen
 - the large shelter has an unstable foundation
 - one section of fence is missing the top rail
 - one of the small shelters has a tin roof with sharp edges

All facilities must be constructed and maintained to contain and protect all enclosed animals.

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3.125 (c)

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

3.125(c) Storage

Supplies of food and bedding shall be stored in facilities which adequately protect such supplies against deterioration. Refrigeration shall be provided for supplies of perishable food.

- in the storage room, one of the upright freezers does not appear to be functioning properly. There was evidence of liquid leak stain inside the freezer and a noticeable odor when the freezer was opened. The freezer should be repaired or removed.

Correct by: 1 May 2010

3.127 (b)

FACILITIES, OUTDOOR.

3.127(b) Shelter

Natural or artificial shelter appropriate for the species concerned shall be provided for all animals kept outdoors to afford them protection.

- In a front pasture a single alpaca is being kept with a group of donkeys. There is only a single shelter which could not contain all animals at once. Though the donkeys are not regulated, their presence might prevent the alpaca from using the shelter. Animals need more available shelter.

Correct by: 15 July 2010

3.127 (d)

FACILITIES, OUTDOOR.

3.127 (d) Perimeter fence

All outdoor facilities (i.e., facilities not entirely indoors) must be enclosed by a perimeter fence that is of sufficient height to keep animals and unauthorized persons out.

- the perimeter fence behind the monkey enclosure is missing a top section of a few panels. Within the missing section, the fence is not an adequate height.

Correct by 18 May 2010

3.132

REPEAT

EMPLOYEES.

Section 3.132 - Employees. A sufficient number of adequately trained employees shall be utilized to maintain the professionally acceptable level of husbandry practices set forth in this subpart.

- The continued citations for repairs, cleaning, and food storage suggest there are not enough people on staff to maintain husbandry practices for a facility of this size.

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Inspection and exit interview conducted by Michael Tygart (VMO), Karl Thornton (ACI), and the licensee.

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